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Regulatory Alert – Pakistan

New List of Devices Exempt from Type Approval and NOC Process

The Pakistan Telecommunication Authority (PTA) recently published a list of devices exempt from Type approval in Pakistan. This list includes the following devices:

- 1. Networking Equipment (Switches, Firewalls, Servers, Storage Devices)
- 2. Laptops /Desktops/Personal Computer (PC)
- 3. Tablet PC with Wi-Fi only Functionality (Non-Sim based devices)
- 4. GPS only devices
- 5. Smart Watches with Bluetooth / Wi-fi functionality only (Without SIM or Tracking Features)
- 6. 13.56MHz RFID/Bluetooth/NFC devices

The listed devices do not require type approval/no objection letter (NOC) from PTA, and may directly be imported as per custom procedures.

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